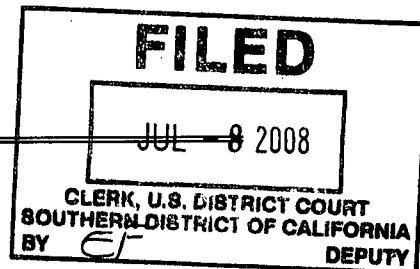


AO 455(Rev. 5/85) Waiver of Indictment

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA



UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

WAIVER OF INDICTMENT

v.

EZEQUIAS DURAN-MELENDEZ

CASE NUMBER: 08CR2257-DMS

I, EZEQUIAS DURAN-MELENDEZ, the above named defendant, who is accused of committing the following offenses:

Count 1: Importation of Methamphetamine, in violation of Title 21,
United States Code, Sections 952 and 960 (Felony);

Count 2: Importation of Cocaine, in violation of Title 21,
United States Code, Sections 952 and 960 (Felony);

being advised of the nature of the charge(s), the proposed information, and of my rights, hereby waive in open court on July 8, 2008 prosecution by indictment and consent that the proceeding may be by information rather than by indictment.

Ezequias Duran
Defendant

Gregory Melchior
Counsel for Defendant

Before


Judicial Officer